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Currently, we are able to purchase radios, at a reasonable cost, that will monitor surrounding Counties, State and Federal Law Enforcement agencies and, if needed, we can communicate with them. Under the proposed change all mutual aid communications would be severed, which could be devastating and disastrous.

Due to the prohibitive cost, the inability to communicate with other law enforcement agencies, the inability to effectively handle emergencies, the inability to satisfactorily communicate within our own County, I, Jimmy E. Martin, Sheriff of Irion County urge that the Federal Communications Commission not approve the proposed changes.

Respectfully submitted,


Jimmy E. Martin
Sheriff-Irion County
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